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DEVICE CARRIER, AND METHOD FOR POST-LMC FLUID PROCESSING

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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated March 23, 2006, be extended for three months to and including September 25, 2006 (September 23, 2006 being a Saturday).

Enclosed is a check for \$1020 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14255-034001.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 9/22/06

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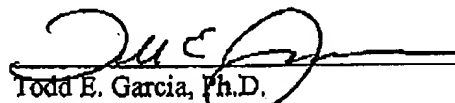
REQUEST FOR REFUND

On September 22, 2006, Applicants paid the required three-month extension fee in the total amount of \$1,020 for the response to Office Action mailed March 23, 2006 by way of an enclosed check.

Applicants inadvertently paid the large entity fee for the three-month extension of time. However, the present application was filed as entitled to small entity status. Applicants respectfully request that the overcharge amount of \$510 be refunded to Fish & Richardson's Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14255-034001, as a credit.

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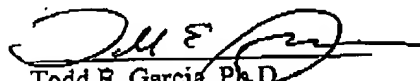
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A Request for Refund dated October 17, 2006 is attached.

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